

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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For: PNEUMATIC TIRE FOR HEAVY LOAD

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Prior to an examination on the merits of the above-identified application, please amend the same as follows on the accompanying pages.

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